

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

International Fresh Produce Association,
American Farm Bureau Federation,
Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation, Stone
County Farm Bureau, Chamber of Commerce
of the United States of America,
AmericanHort, Florida Fruit & Vegetable
Association, North American Blueberry
Council, Texas International Produce
Association, U.S. Apple Association, and the
State of Mississippi,

Plaintiffs,

v.

United States Department of Labor; Julie Su,
Acting U.S. Secretary of Labor, in her official
capacity; Jose Javier Rodriguez, Assistant
Secretary for Employment and Training, U.S.
Department of Labor, in his official capacity;
and Jessica Looman, Administrator of the
Wage & Hour Division, U.S. Department of
Labor, in her official capacity,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:24-cv-00309-HSO-BWR

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Please take notice that Michael J. Gaffney, trial attorney at the United States Department of Justice, Civil Division, Federal Programs Branch, hereby enters his appearance as counsel for Defendants in the above-captioned matter. Mr. Gaffney certifies that he has read and is familiar with the local rules.

DATED: October 25, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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